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28. Acid addition salts according to Claim 13, wherein a nitroxyl group is present at N₁₇.

29. Acid addition salts according to Claim 13, wherein the alcohol of the monoester is methanol.

30. Acid addition salts according to Claim 13, wherein the carboxyl group function of the 5-ring or 6-ring heterocycles is selected from carboxy, carboxymethyl and carboxyethyl. -

IN THE ABSTRACT:

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**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE***A 10*

A transdermal or transmucosal composition for administering morphine alkaloids in form of an acid addition salt of a morphine alkaloid and an organic acid is provided, wherein the organic acid is selected from: monoesters of C₃- to C₁₆-dicarboxylic acids with monohydric C₁- to C₄-alcohols; C₂- to C₆- or C₈- to C₁₆-sulfonic acids; substituted benzoic acids, selected from the group of halogen, hydroxy, alkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxyalkyl and/or alkoxy-substituted benzoic acid, and aminosubstituted benzoic acids, which may optionally be alkylated at the N atom; substituted or unsubstituted 5-ring or 6-ring heterocycles comprising at least one N or S atom and having a carboxyl group function; saturated or unsaturated, optionally substituted, oxocarboxylic acids having 5 to 10 C atoms; phenyl-substituted or phenoxy-substituted saturated C₂- to C₄-carboxylic acids; and aliphatic, aromatic or heterocyclic C₂- to C₁₂-amino acids, wherein one amino group is substituted with a substituted or unsubstituted C₂- to C₆-alkanoyl group or a substituted or unsubstituted benzoyl group.